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## PERSONAL MENTION

E. Y. Judd has returned from Portland.

The infant son of C. Rohman is very ill.

R. A. Watson is visiting this week at and around his old home, Salem.

B. K. Hoyt, a carpenter from Holdman, is in the city today on business.

Jesse Alloway is clerking for H. H. Wessell, succeeding J. A. Fanning.

Mrs. Will Fedden of The Dailies, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Haynie of this place.

F. S. Bramwell, of La Grande, who spent last night in the city, left for his home this morning.

Tom Cotter, the well known Nevada woolbuyer, is in town and will remain until after the sales.

R. B. Wilson, passenger agent for the C. B. & Q., is in town arranging for World's Fair transportation.

B. F. Ogle, a prominent stockman of Ridge, was in the city last evening en route to Athena, to visit his parents.

Frank Lee, a San Francisco wool-buyer, has arrived and will remain through the remainder of the campaign.

Charles Eppinger, the clothing salesman at Alexander's, is confined to the house with a threatened attack of typhoid fever.

G. B. Gillette will leave tomorrow morning for Lewiston, where he will be employed in the offices of the Western Union as telegrapher.

Rev. E. B. Hayes, of Placerville, Cal., has been assigned to the Presbyterian church at La Grande, in place of Rev. W. L. Van Noy, who has charge of the church here.

W. C. Hoseason, who recently accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Mosgrove Mercantile Company, at Milton, came down last night and will move his family to Milton today.

Mrs. Joseph McCabe and Mrs. Levi Ankeny, of Walla Walla, are the guests of Mrs. Fred Judd. Mrs. McCabe will remain in town for some days, but Mrs. Ankeny will return home tomorrow evening.

## To Grade Normal Grounds.

W. M. Blakeley, one of the regents of Weston Normal, accompanied by Geary Kimbrell, went to Weston this morning. Mr. Kimbrell took with him his surveying instruments, and will establish the levels necessary for the proper grading of the Normal College premises. Besides the grading spoken of, the intention is to erect some temporary fencing and lay concrete walks.

## VALUABLE POTATOES.

Story of the Origin of the El Dorado "Spud" in England.

The sheriff of Nottingham, England, of Robin Hood fame, figures in story and song as a great liar, and an official report which comes to Washington from Consul Mahlin, at Nottingham, reads more like a fairy tale than anything else.

He states that one A. Findley, of Markinch, Scotland, is the originator of a wonderful potato, the El Dorado. He has long been an expert in hybridization of tubers and tells this in his latest achievement. It is disease and drought resistant and remarkably vigorous. The few potatoes which have been raised from two small samples of seed given out by Mr. Findley have been sold at fabulous prices.

One of the first recorded sales was 10 small potatoes, weighing half a pound, for \$48, or \$48 for each potato. At an auction sale of 14 of these potatoes, so wild did the bidders become that \$1,230 was realized, the price per potato ranging from \$88 to \$238. The largest potato weighed 10 ounces; the smallest one was about the size of a hickory nut.

Another case is recorded where one El Dorado potato brought \$500 and the purchaser immediately refused \$1,000 for it. The record price thus far is \$2,185 for one pound of these potatoes. Even at this prodigious figure, which works out at about \$5,000 a ton, the purchaser expects to reap a profit from the crop.

Consul Mahlin naively remarks that it will probably be some years before this potato can be marketed as an edible. Its reproductive capacity, however, is said to be great, something like 300 to 1.

## A HORSE POWER.

Mooted Question Over Which Scientists Have Long Quibbled.

A subscriber asks if a 40 horsepower engine has "the same power, whether attached to an automobile or is stationary."

The term horsepower is one in mechanics used in expressing the force of a motive. It is based on the assumption that horses in general perform a certain constant amount of work in a specified time—an assumption evidently erroneous.

The fundamental unit of work is the foot pound; but in measuring the work of a horse by this unit the estimates of the most celebrated engineers differ widely from each other; Boulton and Watt, basing their calculation on the work of London dray horses, working eight hours per day, estimated it at 33,000 foot pounds per minute.

D'Aubuisson, taking the work done by horses in whips at Friedberg, estimated the work, eight hours per day, at 16,440 foot pounds.

Under similar circumstances the estimates of Desaguliers was 44,000; Smeaton, 22,000, and Tregold, 27,500. It matters little, however, what number is assumed, provided the same be always used. Accordingly, the original estimate by Watt is still counted a horsepower.

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